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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:  
Stefan Kemper

Serial No.: 10/003,138 Group Art Unit: 2131

Filed: Nov. 15, 2001 Examiner: K. Abrishamkar

For: COMPUTER SECURITY WITH LOCAL AND REMOTE  
AUTENTICATION

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
Box RCE  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Before taking any action, in response to the Final Office Action dated August 18, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the complete listing of all pending claims, which begins at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this response.